



9th September

Monday 12th

10.45am Year 6 Visit to the Crooked Spire
4.30pm - 5.30pm Junior After-School Football Club

Tuesday 13th

4.30pm - 5.30pm Junior After-School Golf Club
6.00pm Estates Committee Meeting

Wednesday 14th

10.45am - 11.10am Student Council Meeting
4.00pm - 5.00pm Year 5 & 6 Girls Games Club
6.00pm Finance Committee Meeting
7.00pm Sales & Marketing Meeting
7.30pm SPSP PTA Committee Meeting

Thursday 15th

4.30pm - 5.00pm Year 3 Welcome from Mrs Lamb in the Year 3 Classroom
4.30pm - 5.30pm Junior After-School RuggerEds Club

Friday 16th

10.45am - 1.30pm Year 3 & 4 NICAS Climbing Club
4.30pm - 5.30pm Year 3 & 4 Girls Games Club
4.30pm - 6.00pm Year 5 & 6 NICAS Climbing Club

New Parents Coffee Morning

Thank you to all those parents who attended the coffee morning on Monday. It was great to see so many of you and be able to welcome you to the school.

Mouth Guard Fittings

Thank you to Fleur Wrigley for undertaking the mouth guard fittings on Monday, ably assisted by Mrs Mosley.

Parent Welcome Meetings

Thank you to all those parents who attended the Years 1, 2, 4, 5, & 6 Parents Welcome meetings this week. We hope that you found the meetings both useful and informative. We look forward to seeing the Year 3 parents at their meeting next week on Thursday.

Assemblies

Assemblies this year will be held on Tuesday morning with Miss Kelshaw and Friday morning with Mr Clark. Sport's Assemblies will continue to be held on Thursday mornings, where sporting achievements will be shared and celebrated.

Grandparents Day

Monday 3rd October 2016 is St Peter & St Paul Grandparents Day. This is an exciting opportunity for families to get involved with their children's day to day routine and school life. Here at St Peter & St Paul School we value our family atmosphere and work hard to create an effective school-home partnership. Last year was our first Grandparents Day at St. Peter & St and was a great success.

On the 3rd October, we are inviting each child to bring along a grandparent or someone in their extended family e.g. Aunt/Uncle for the morning. Below is a rough outline of what the morning will include. The day will commence at 8.45am and end at 11am.

Open Day - Saturday 8th October - 10.00 am - 12.30 pm

All parents, pupils and friends are invited to this annual event where you will be shown around the whole school and have the opportunity to meet all our staff. Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 children are, at the Headmaster's invitation, expected to attend and contribute to the morning's working environment.

Medication in School

A reminder to all parents that if your child needs medication during the school day, this must be brought directly to the school reception. This applies to both prescription medication and over the counter medication.

Children Leaving Early

Children leaving school before the normal end of the school day should report to the main school reception to sign out.

Reception Swimming

An excited group of Reception children enjoyed their first experience of 'School Swimming' at the Healthy Living Centre on Thursday morning. The children all embraced the opportunity to play in the water with Mrs. White as she assessed their confidence levels in the water. Great fun was also had on the 'big bus' that made the noisy journey to and from Brambling House!



Sport Assembly

This week, in our first Sports Assembly of the new academic year, Holly Beadsmoore, Freya Wrigley & Sam Haddock were recognised for their sporting achievements gained outside of school. Certificates were awarded for Hockey, Gymnastics & Rugby. Well done to all children! If any other pupils gain sporting success away from school and would like to be recognised during the Sport Assemblies please contact Mr. Lamb on pedept@spsp.org.uk

E-Safety

The children heard Mr Crossley talk about the dangers they may face when using the internet and computers as part of an assembly on e-safety. They were given information on who they can tell if they don't feel safe. For further information go to www.thinkuknow.co.uk.



**St Peter & St Paul
School**

PTA

From the Friends...

SPSP- PTA Meeting

The first ever SPSP-PTA meeting will be held on:

WEDNESDAY 14TH SEPTEMBER @ 7.30PM IN SCHOOL

All parents are welcome to join and share any ideas or to just come along and see what we are about. We have a few events already lined up so we will be discussing the details of those plus also looking to add events big or small for the future.

Please come along to this fun and friendly group to help raise funds for the school and children.

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact us.

We look forward to seeing you.

Please find below dates for your diary for upcoming PTA fundraising events.
Your support in the upcoming events is vital to ensure these events are successful.
Any volunteer help or support would be appreciated.

Wednesday 14th September: First ever PTA Meeting
7.30pm School Library/ Class Room

Friday 30th September: Macmillan Fundraising Cake Sale
Cakes donated by Enchanting Edibles
3.50pm Veranda/ Dining Room
Nearly New Uniform will also be available to purchase

Saturday 8th October: SPSP Open Day

Thursday 20th October: Pie, Pea & Quiz Night
Details/ tickets will be available soon

Friday 4th November: Bonfire Night & Firework Display
Details/ tickets will be available soon

Friday 25th November: Christmas Fair
3.00-5.00pm
Details available soon

Wednesday 14th December: Children's Christmas Party

Upcoming events for the year:

Saturday 8th July 2017: Summer fundraiser event
7pm Casa Hotel
All other details TBC

Ongoing Fundraising

SPSP-PTA Uniform Shop:

The uniform shop is open every Wednesday from 3.50pm. Nearly New uniform items for sale & John Lewis sample sizes are available to try.
Uniform donations are always welcome and can be dropped off at reception

Easy Fundraising:

Do you shop online? Do it through easyfundraising.org.uk and raise a free donation for THE ST PETER AND ST PAUL SCHOOL TRUST - Chesterfield every time you shop!

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/friendsspsp/>

Bonfire Night Sponsorship/ Volunteers

Friday 4th November 2016

Gates will open to the general public from 17.30

The 2015 St Peter & St Paul Bonfire Night was very successful and attended by over 1000 people, despite the miserable weather. £3500 was raised for the school, which has been put towards funding school projects for all the children to benefit from.

Plans for the 2016 Bonfire event are under way and we would like to ask if any businesses or families would like to provide any sponsorship to help run the event. In return for sponsorship your company logo/name will be included in all our promotional information. If you would like to help out in any way, it would be much appreciated and would help to make the event even more successful. This could be a money donation, food or beverage contribution etc.

To enable us to run the event we need a number of volunteers as without volunteer help we cannot manage an event of this size. If you are interested in helping out in any way at all, please pass on your name, contact details and particular job you would like to do to Mrs Meikle.

We need volunteers for the following jobs:-

Car Park Attendants
Gate Ticket Sales,
Food and Beverage Sales
Flashing Novelty Sales
Runners/ Litter Pickers.

Many thanks in advance of your assistance.

Save The Date

To avoid the disappointment caused by the cancellation of this year's Summer Ball, plans are underway for the SPSP 2017 fundraising event.

Date **Saturday 8th July 2017 (Please mark this date in your calendar)**
Location **Casa Hotel, Chesterfield**

All other details are to be confirmed. Any suggestions for the SPSP 2017 Summer Fundraiser are welcome; please send any correspondence to Mrs Sully. (Email: janesully@spsp.org.uk).

We need your support to make St Peter & St Paul fundraising events successful.

Many Thanks

Natalya's Walk

Between October 26 - 29th this year Hugh Zwolinski, George Edwards and Ben Graham (Year 6 pupils in 2015) are walking from SPSP to Kinder Scout. They aim to raise money for The Children's Bereavement Centre in Newark and Asthma UK. This is in memory of Natalya - their classmate and friend.

Further information can be found at on the following websites:-

www.cooperdjones.wix.com/natalyas-walk

www.facebook.com/natalyaswalk

uk.virginmoneygiving.com/natalyaswalk